

**Friends of Houghton for Congress
FEC Committee Number C00557702
P.O. Box 2266
Lancaster, PA 17608-2266**

July 31, 2015

Federal Election Commission
999 E Street, NW
Washington, DC 20463

Re: Friends of Houghton for Congress
FEC Committee Number C00557702
Termination Report - FEC Form 3
Date of Filing: 7/28/2015
Filing I.D. Number: FEC-1018445

Dear FEC:

Attached is a copy of the MISCELLANEOUS TEXT (FEC FORM 99) which was filed electronically on July 28, 2015. I received an email from your offices that the filing was "received and accepted by our system at 07/28/2015 - 17:59:31, and was assigned the Filing ID of: FEC-1018445."

As indicated, I had attempted to file a Form 3 for the time period of July 1, 2015 – July 28, 2015 and to treat that filing as a Termination Report of Friends of Houghton for Congress, FEC Committee Number C00557702.

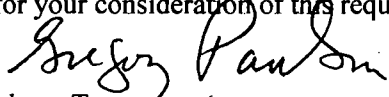
The TEXT refers to a statement of forgiveness by Joseph Bachman, III, the lone creditor of the Committee. A true and correct copy of the statement is enclosed herewith for your consideration.

We believe Friends of Houghton for Congress has now submitted sufficient documentation to support the FEC's finding that the Committee's filing/reporting obligations can now be complete and the status of "Terminated" be assigned to Friends of Houghton for Congress, FEC Committee Number C00557702.

If there are questions or directions for additional information, please direct your correspondence to:

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Thank you for your consideration of this request.


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cc: Tom Houghton
Joseph Bachman, III

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